

CHAPTER NO. 33

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955

By Representative Lewis

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1951

By Senator Cooper

AN ACT to amend Chapter 318 of the Private Acts of 1925; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the Charter of the Town of Palmer.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 318 of the Private Acts of 1925; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the Charter of the Town of Palmer, is amended by deleting Section 6 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 6. Be it further enacted. That only freeholders who are qualified voters, tax payers, and actual residents of the Town of Palmer, Tennessee, over 21 years of age, with a minimum education of a High School Diploma, or a G.E.D., shall be eligible to the office of Mayor or Aldermen of the said Town of Palmer, at any election to be hereafter held for said purposes.

SECTION 2 Nothing in this act shall be construed as having the effect of removing any incumbent from office or abridging the term of any official prior to the end of the term for which such official was elected.

SECTION 3. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Legislative Body of the Town of Palmer. Its approval or non-approval shall be proclaimed by the Presiding Officer of the Town of Palmer and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 3.

PASSED: May 6, 1999


JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 14th day of May 1999


DON SINGQUIST, GOVERNOR